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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

In re Donald F. Hamilton et al.)

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Application No. ~~10/777,958~~ 08/777,958)

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Appeal No. 2010-000657

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Filed: December 24, 1996)

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ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO RESET HEARING DATE

An oral hearing before a merits panel of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences had been set for September 21, 2010. The notice setting the hearing was mailed to Applicants on July 30, 2010. The date Applicants received the notice is not apparent from the record. On August 2, 2010, a facsimile letter styled "Request to Reschedule Oral Hearing" was filed. Applicants requested that the oral hearing be rescheduled. The request has been granted.

According to counsel:

[He] Counsel of record states the reason for requesting the rescheduling is that, he has a previously scheduled physical examination with his primary care physician for that date.

For the reasons given above, it is:

Ordered that the request to reschedule the oral hearing to a date after September 10, 2010 is granted. No further request for postponement will be permitted. Any further request for postponement will be treated as a waiver of the Request for Oral Hearing.

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